## BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Docket No. R2001-1

# RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITNESS MEEHAN TO INTERROGATORY OF MAJOR MAILERS ASSOCIATION REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS SCHENK (MMA/USPS-T43-18(c))

The United States Postal Service hereby provides the response of witness Meehan to the following interrogatory of Major Mailers Association: MMA/USPS-T43-18(c), filed on November 16, 2001 and redirected from witness Schenk.

The interrogatory is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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# Response of United States Postal Service Witness Meehan to Interrogatories of Major Mailers Association (Redirected from witness Schenk USPS-T-43)

**MMA/USPS-T43-18.** Please refer to your response to Interrogatory MMAIUSPS-T43-6.

a. Please provide the derivation of the 9.57 cents that you indicate is the First-Class single piece city carrier delivery unit cost, excluding collection costs. b. Please provide the derivation of the 3.71 cents that you indicate is the First-

Class single piece city carrier delivery unit cost, excluding collection costs.

c. Please provide the total collection costs incurred by the Postal Service for BY00.

### Response:

(c) Total collection costs incurred by the Postal Service for BY00 are not available because "total collection costs" include various non-carrier costs that we have not studied, such as vehicle service driver costs in Cost Segment 8, contract driver costs in Cost Segment 14, and some acceptance costs in Cost Segment 3.

### **DECLARATION**

I, Karen Meehan, declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing answers are true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Faren Merkan

Dated: /2/3/01

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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